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In re Patent Application of:

Takakuni Ueno

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For: STEREOLITHOGRAPHIC APPARATUS AND

METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THREE-

DIMENSIONAL OBJECT WITH PHOTOHARDENABLE RESIN

Examiner: L. B. Tentoni

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 16 December 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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